

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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**Mail Stop Amendment**  
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AMENDMENT IN REPLY TO ACTION OF NOVEMBER 1, 2006

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendment to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Arguments/Remarks** begin on page 12 of this paper.